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# NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the Decision of the Primary Examiner mailed August 29, 2001 finally rejecting claims 1, 5, 8-10, 12, 13, 15, 20, 22-24, 30-33, 37, and 39-52 of the above-identified patent application.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

## STATUS OF APPLICANT

		Applicant(s) has previously claimed small entity status under 37 CFR §1.27.	
		Applicant(s) by its/their undersigned attorney, claims small entity status under 37	
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## 2. EXTENSION OF TIME

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.

Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR -----1.17(a)(1)-(4))-for-the-total-number-of-months-checked-below:

	SMALL	SMALL ENTITY		NOT SMALL ENTITY	
ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME	\$55	\$	\$110	\$110.00	
☐ TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME	\$200	\$	\$400	\$0.00	
☐ THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME	\$460	\$	\$920	\$0.00	
☐ FOUR MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME	\$720	\$	\$1440	\$0.00	
☐ FIVE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME	\$980	\$	\$1960	\$0.00	
☐ LESS ANY EXTENSION FEE ALREADY PAID	minus	(\$ )	minus	(\$ )	
NOTICE OF APPEAL	\$160	\$	\$320	\$320.00	
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or any future filing submitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in the above-identified application during the pendency of this application. The Commissioner is further authorized to charge any fees related to any such extension of time to deposit account 23-3050. This sheet is provided in duplicate.

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